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EXAMINER:

Preliminary Amendment

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments.

In the specification:

On page 67, in the Sequence Listing Table, under the description for SEQ ID NO:4, after the phrase "GenBank Accession Number" please insert --M62399, locus number--.

On page 67, in the Sequence Listing Table, under the description for SEQ ID NO:8, please replace the phrase "reference or sequence" with -- APPTDVSLGDELHLDGEDVAMAHADALDDFDLDMLGDGDSP GPGFTTPHDSAPYGALDMADFEFEQMFTDALGIDEYG --.